IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

RYAN ANDREW MEHL, :

Petitioner :

: No. 1:17-cv-01437

v. :

: (Judge Rambo)

SCI FOREST, et al.,

Respondents:

ORDER

AND NOW, this 20th day of August 2018, in accordance with the accompanying Memorandum, **IT IS ORDERED THAT**:

- 1. Petitioner Ryan Andrew Mehl's petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. No. 1), is **DISMISSED**;
- 2. Petitioner's motion for appointment of counsel (Doc. No. 23), is **DENIED without prejudice**;
- 3. There is no basis for the issuance of a certificate of appealability. <u>See</u> 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c); and
- 4. The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** this case.

s/Sylvia H. Rambo
SYLVIA H. RAMBO
United States District Judge